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W. R. CLARKE,
Agent for the Applicants.
Victoria, 20th Feb., 1882. fe21

PRIVATE BILL.

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W. POLLARD,
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Victoria, 31st Jan 1882. e1

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NOTICES.

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT CHARLES Wilson of Barkerville, Cariboo, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia and his admission as a Solicitor therein, upon his passing the necessary examination.

Dated 16th November, A.D., 1881. no19dw

JAMES RULE.

A PETITION HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO THE Court of Session in Scotland (Second Division, Mr. Martin, clerk,) by Mary Rule or Thomson, 4 Russell street, Paisley, and others, next of kin of James Rule, who was born in Edinburgh in 1837, Seaman in H. M. S. "Indefatigable" in 1857, afterwards in the Peruvian frigate "Amazones," and has not been heard of since 1863, for authority to appropriate £40C, which the said James Rule, if in life, would be entitled to receive under the will of his uncle, George Rule, of Edinburgh, deceased.

SKENE, EDWARDS & BILTON,
W. S. Agents for Petitioners.
Edinburgh, 26th Nov., 1881. ja1dw

PURSUANT TO A JUDGMENT

OF THE HIGH COURT OF JUSTICE, CHANcery Division (England) made in an action Smith vs. Payne, 1881, S. No, 2931.

Thomas James Smith, formerly resident at Brockley Road, New Cross, in the County of Kent, in England, a clerk in the Bank of England, but who, about the year 1854, left England for British Columbia, a grandson of Thomas Smith, late of No. 2 Gilbert's Buildings, Westminster Bridge Road, in the County of Surrey, Gentleman, (who died about the month of January, 1846,) and who if now living is beneficially interested in certain leasehold property bequeathed by the will of the said Thomas Smith to which this action relates, or if dead the children or issue (if any) of the said Thomas James Smith are in person, or by their solicitors, on or before the 10th day of January, 1882, to come in and prove their claims at the chambers of the Honorable Mr. Justice Chitty, situated in the Royal Courts of Justice, Strand, in the County of Middlesex, England, or in default they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said judgment. Thursday, the 2nd day of February, 1882, at 11 of the clock in the forenoon, at the said chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated this 12th day of November, 1881.

ROBERT MARSHALL, Chief Clerk.
WILLIAM ACKERS SMITH, 90 Denbigh street, Warwick Square, Pimlico, London, England, Plaintiff's Solicitor. de15w2t

WAVERLY HYDRAULIC MINING COMPANY, LIMITED

Location of Works, Grouse Creek, Cariboo.

Assessment No. 22.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT AT A meeting of the Trustees of said Company held on the 23rd day of January, 1882, an assessment of 60 Cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of said company, payable forthwith to Charles Wilson, Secretary, at the Company's office, Barkerville, B. C. Any stock upon which said assessment shall remain unpaid on 27th day of Feb., 1882, shall be deemed delinquent, and will be duly advertised for sale at Public Auction and, unless payment be made before, will be sold on the 30th day of March, 1882, to pay the delinquent assessment together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. CHARLES WILSON, Secretary.

Barkerville, B. C., Jan. 28th, 1882. fe10dw

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between Uriah Nelson and Marcus Wolfe, carrying on business at Clinton, under the name and style of Nelson & Wolfe, has this day been mutually dissolved. Uriah Nelson will carry on the business, collect all amounts and pay all indebtedness of the late firm.

URIAH NELSON,
MARCUS WOLFE.
Victoria, Jan. 16th, 1882. ja17dw

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

THAT I INTEND TO MAKE APPLICATION TO purchase One Hundred and Sixty Acres Crown Land situate on the east bank of Fraser River. From a point about six miles north of Quesnelle, due east about three-quarters of a mile and about one mile from the Hopeful Flat Mining Company's claim; commencing at a pine post marked N.W.C.; thence east 40 chains to a post marked N.E.C.; thence south 40 chains to a post marked S.E.C.; thence west 40 chains to a post marked S.W.C.; thence 40 chains to point of commencement. NAM SING.

Barkerville, Dec. 20, 1881. de29dw2m

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT JOHN PATMORE WALLS, of Victoria, British Columbia, intends to apply at the next session of the Provincial Legislature for a Private Bill authorizing his call to the bar of the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Dated the 24th November, 1881. no25

PRIVATE BILL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT APPLICAtion will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its next session, for an Act to incorporate a Company to construct and work a railway from Esquimalt Harbour, via Nanaimo, to some point on or near Seymour Narrows, Vancouver Island, and for a grant of public lands in aid thereof.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Solicitor for the Applicants.
Langley Street, Victoria,
January 6th, 1882. Ja7

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE UNdersigned up to Friday, 17th inst., at 4 p. m., for the erection and completion of a Warehouse, to be situated on Yates' Wharf foot of Yates street.

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ja31 1m THE COMMITTEE.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

PURSUANT TO AN ORDER OF THIS COURT, made in the matter of the Estate of JOHN LEWIS, late of the town of Yale, deceased, and in a cause between JAMES CAMPBELL, plaintiff, and FRANK CROTTY and GEORGE STUART, defendants, the creditors of the said JOHN LEWIS are by themselves, or their solicitors, on or before the 17th day of April, A. D. 1882, to come in and prove their debts at the office of the Registrar of the Supreme Court, James Bay, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be peremptorily excluded from the benefit of the said order.

MONDAY, the 24TH DAY OF APRIL, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the claims.

Dated the 16th day of February, A.D. 1882.

J. C. PREVOST, Registrar.
DAVIE & POOLEY, Plaintiff's Solicitors. fe17dw
[British Columbian copy.]

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARRIED ON by McLEAN and CARSON has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. Said business will in future be carried on by JOHN McLEAN, to whom all accounts due must be paid and all accoonts for payment be presented.

JOHN McLEAN,
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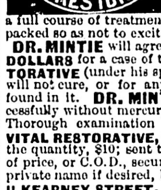
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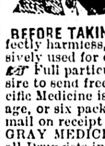
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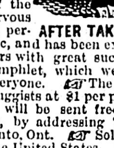
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SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 25TH, 1882.

L. P. FISHER, Advertising Agent, 21 Merchants Exchange, San Francisco, is authorised to receive advertisements for the columns of this paper.

Eastern Canada Mail.

[Per Steamship Idaho.]

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 29.—A young man known as Fred. Truesdall, an adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. Truesdall, committed suicide yesterday afternoon by hanging in the barn attached to the Truesdall homestead. The family live at a place known as the Tin Cap, on the Perth road, six miles from here. Deceased had for some time shown signs of insanity.

WINNIPEG, Feb. 10.—Claim jumping in the vicinity of Edmonton and Battleford is quite common. The mounted police have been invoked at the former place, and at the latter the buildings on A. E. Forget's claim were burned, so as to give him no claim to the land, and a new building is being erected by the parties who did the jumping.

Twelve tons tainted beef have been confiscated here by the Health Inspector. It was consigned by rail from Ontario. The mild weather this year has been very unfavorable to the trade. It was refused by the consignees, and when the railway authorities were selling it for the charges the seizures were made. An order is now issued that the charges on perishable freights must be prepaid.

Houses are already rushing up in all directions over the city, winter evidently proving no barrier to construction, giving but a slight foretaste to building operations next season.

BROCKVILLE, Feb. 10.—A boy 7 years old, named William Burke, was shot in the forehead to-day by another boy named James Johnson, who is only 14 years of age. Upon his person was found the pistol with which the deed was done. It has not a trigger, and Johnson says that while he and Burke were examining it, it went off. Johnson was sent to jail Monday. Burke died in a few minutes.

TORONTO, Feb. 30.—The nominations for South Simcoe took place yesterday, when Col. Tyrwhitt and Mr. Lucas were nominated as the Conservative and Reform candidates respectively.

Oscar Wilde has formed a favourable opinion of the "colouring" of the spray at the Niagara Falls, but the outline of the Falls is not up to his standard of the beautiful.

MONTREAL, Feb. 10.—For some days past active exertions have been in progress here to form another syndicate for the purchase or leasing of the Occidental railway. It is now stated that the efforts have been successful, and the following are named as the parties interested:—Sir Hugh Allan, Sir Narcisse Belleau, ex-Mayor Rivard, Aldermen Jacques, Grenier, and Michael Laurent, Messrs. S. St. Onge, C. S. Rodier, L. M. Massue, M.P.P., G. A. Drolet, G. B. Renaud, and J. G. Ross, of Quebec. This syndicate is credited with making the best offer for twenty-five years, with an advance of $75,000 every five years after the first.

KINGSTON, Feb. 9.—S. T. Drennan, who, when in public life, was one of Kingston's most popular men, died last night.

The capital stock of the cotton mill is now $200,000. $180,000 has been subscribed, and the remaining $20,000 will be taken by the end of the month.

Twitting on Names.

A good story is told of the late Edmund Burke of New Hampshire. When in congress he had a controversy with a Mr. Arnold of Tennessee, who spoke of New Hampshire as a state whose chief products were ice and granite and sneeringly suggested that its representative was less like his namesake the English statesman than like Burke the "burker." In his response Mr. Burke said he was at a loss to know whether the Tennessee representative was like Benedict Arnold or some other Arnold; and, referring to the products of that gentleman's district as consisting mainly of dogs and hoop-poles brought down the House with the suggestion that, while the hoop-poles were sent westward and down the Mississippi River, the dogs travelled eastward toward the national capital. This was the last ever heard of poor Arnold.

A FEW years ago Australia welcomed with many demonstrations of joy the arrival of a few Paris or English sparrows. To-day there is premium of sixpence a dozen upon the heads of the little creatures, which have multiplied to an alarming extent amid their congenial surroundings, and are a source of great loss to fruit growers. Before the commission appointed to enquire into the matter, one witness said that in the short space of ten days the sparrows took a ton and a half of grapes. They stripped all the figs of five trees, and kept low fifteen acres of lucerne during summer. Another complains that in the season they took £30 worth of fruit; while a third declares that he sowed peas three times, and each time they were destroyed by sparrows. Neither apricots, cherries, figs, apples, grapes, peaches, plums, pears, nectarines, clives, loquats, wheat, barley oats, cabbages cauliflowers, nor seeds nor fruit of any kind, are spared by the sparrow's omnivorous bill; and all means of defence tried against its depredations, whether scarecrows, traps, netting, shooting or poisoning, are declared to be insufficient to cope with the enemy.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—A special to the "Herald" from London of February 18th says: The Amateur Orchestral Society gave its second "smoking concert" yesterday at Standard Hall. The orchestra consisted of eighty gentlemen of the aristocracy of England, the concert-master being the Duke of Edinburgh, while the drums were played by clergymen. Among the selections performed were the movement from Beethoven's Fifth Symphony, the overtures to Der Freischutz, and Le Cheval de Bronse, and some new ballet music by Widor, all of which were admirably executed. The Duke of Edinburgh's playing, as first violin, was especially praised, even by professionals. Four hundred gentlemen were present, all of the English aristocracy, except a few favored professional musicians. Among those who were present were the Prince of Wales, the Duke of Teck, Lord Aylesford, the Duke of Saxe Weimar, Baron Rothschild, General Ponsonby and Lord Dupplin. Among the musicians were Sir Julius Benedict, Carl Rosa, Signor Visetti, Rudolph Aronson and W. G. Cusins, conductor of the London Philharmonic Society. During the concert all smoked and drank as much as they wished. The concert was most enjoyable.

SKOBELOFF'S SPEECH.

It Arouses the Wrath of Emperor William.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—A dispatch to the "Standard" from Berlin says: The Emperor has expressed the deepest indignation and sorrow at General Skobeloff's remarks. He said that if such wanton provocation continued he would be compelled to resort to energetic measures.

VIENNA, Feb. 19.—The entire press here condemn General Skobeloff's recent speech. The "Fremde Blatt" says the speech is significant, because thousands of Russians hold the same views. Panslavism, it affirms, is a great danger for Russia, as it also is to Europe.

A FATHER'S VENGEANCE.

He Kills Two Negroes and Mortally Wounds Their Wives.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 19.—A terrible tragedy occurred yesterday near Centreville, Tex., in which two negroes named Hall were killed and their wives mortally wounded. It appears that the negroes were riding along the road in a wagon, and had some trouble with a child of a white man named Lyle. The child ran home, told its father about the affair, and the latter taking a shotgun concealed himself by the roadside. Shortly after the negroes drove by, and Lyle fired upon them from his ambush, almost blowing the heads off the men and fatally wounding the women. The murderer fled, but officers have started in pursuit.

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fe21 W. WILLIAMS & CO.

NO MORE LEAKY ROOFS!

CEDAR SHINGLES

Cut upon the New Principle, with the Grain of the Wood, by the

LATEST IMPROVED SHINGLE MACHINE.

ON AND AFTER 1ST FEB. THE UNDERSIGNed will ship to Victoria, Nanaimo and New Westminster, Cedar Shingles, cut with the Grain of the wood, which he will sell at LOWER RATES than are now asked for the inferior article.
R. STEVENSON
Agent for Victoria—W. P. SAYWARD.
Chilliwhack, Jan. 7th, 1882 ja16dw

SPENCER'S

PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY.

FORT STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

HAVING ENGAGED THE SERVICES OF MR. J. W. SEELEY, from a leading gallery in San Francisco and more recently from ABEL'S Gallery of Portland, he will have charge of my Gallery during the coming season.

I beg to inform the public that I am now prepared to execute all work in my line in the most artistic manner and in all the New Styles.

The public are cordially invited to call and examine specimens of the work, which will be found to be superior to any heretofore done in this city.
fe10 2p1m S. A. SPENCER.

ENTERTAINMENTS.

THE LADIES OF THE CONVERSAZIONE COMmittee of the

REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Will hold Entertainments at ST. JAMES HALL, Government street,

ON THURSDAY, MARCH 2ND, 16TH AND 30TH,

AT EIGHT O'CLOCK,

When very attractive Programmes will be presented.
ADMISSION TWENTY FIVE CENTS. fe18

NOTICE

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXISTING between the undersigned as Job Printers, has been dissolved as on and from the first day of February, 1882. All accounts against the firm will be settled by Jas. E. McMillan, who is alone authorized to collect outstanding accounts due the firm.
JAS. E. McMILLAN,
R. H. McMILLAN.
Victoria, Feb. 13, 1882. fe19 3t

RELIEF TO SUFFERERS FROM TENDER OR DEFORMED FEET.

THE UNDERSIGNED OFFERS HIS SERVICES to the public as a LASTMAKER. No matter how tender or deformed the feet, he GUARANTEES to furnish Lasts from which any maker will produce a perfect fitting boot or shoe.
JANNI METTI.
ORDERS may be left at the Pacific Telegraph Hotel or at Jacob Sehl's furniture manufactory.
fe1 1m2p

THIS IS TO NOTIFY.

THAT ALL DOGS FOUND WITHIN THE ENclosure of FOUL BAY FARM will be SHOT from and after this date.
J. SHOPLAND.
Foul Bay, Feb. 6, 1882. fe7dw1m

Theatre Royal.

SATURDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 25TH,

DRAMATIC PERFORMANCE

BY THE

AMATEURS OF H.M.S. ROCKET.

Under the Distinguished Patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

IN AID OF THE CONVALESCENT HOME.

PART I. Laughable Farce in 1 Act,

BOX AND COX.

INTERLUDE.

HORNPIPE AND COMIC SONGS.

PART II. Farce in 2 Acts,

RAISING THE WIND.

GOD SAVE THE QUEEN.

SEATS may be reserved at Redfern's between 10 and 12 in the morning and 5 and 7 in the evening.
USUAL PRICES. No extra charge for seats reserved at Redfern's jewelry store. fe16

FOR SALE BY TENDER.

SEALED TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY the undersigned up to Wednesday, 1st March, for the purchase of the

Machinery, Packing Boxes,

ETC., AND INTEREST OF THE

B. C. CRACKER BAKERY.

Reason for selling: The necessary removal of one of the owners. The machinery is first class, and can be seen on applying to A. OLNER, Government St. with whom also the tenders may be left.
TERMS CASH.
fe19 DUNCAN McBEATH.

LUN CHUNG & CO.

CORMORANT STREET,

BETWEEN GOVERNMENT AND STORE STS., VICTORIA,

Importers, Wholesale and Retail Dealers in

TEA, SUGAR, RICE, OPIUM, NUT OIL And Chinese Merchandise.

P. O. Box 98. 1y

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

THE NEW



IN

PATENT DUST PROOF CASE

C. E. REDFERN'S, GOVERNMENT ST.

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GREAT BARGAINS!

NEW GOODS JUST OPENED!

Ten Per Cent. Off for Cash!

A. GILMORE

IMPORTER FROM THE LARGEST ENGLISH, CANADIAN AND AMERICAN MANUFACTORIES, AND DEALER IN

BOYS' AND MEN'S CLOTHING,

HATS, CAPS, BOOTS AND SHOES,

RUBBER & CAPE ANN OILSKIN CLOTHING.

IN ADDITION TO THE FORMER REDUCTION I NOW THROW OFF TEN PER CENT. FOR CASH.

GARMENTS MADE TO ORDER. ja25

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

SHORT & SIMPSON,

GUN & RIFLE MAKERS,

FORT STREET NEAR GOVERNMENT,

HAVE RECEIVED FROM LONDON DIRECT A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELED GUNS

CENTRAL FIRE BREECH LOADERS,
FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY.

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-Loaders, and a Full Assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. au26is3m REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

THE WHITE HOUSE.

Having purchased from the former proprietors, MESSRS. C. STROUSS & CO. all their interest in the WHITE HOUSE, Government street, we will, under the firm name of

HUTCHESON, YOUNG & CO.,

Continue the business as heretofore. We propose to carry a carefully assorted stock in the various departments of a complete

DRY & FANCY GOODS ESTABLISHMENT.

As we will make our Purchases for CASH, we are in a position to successfully carry on a business of this kind, and having been for some years engaged in supplying the wants of customers in this market, and thoroughly understanding

WHERE TO PURCHASE,
WHEN TO PURCHASE,
WHAT TO PURCHASE,

Our aim will be to make THE WHITE HOUSE a resort for those who wish to secure Fashionable and First Class Goods for the Very Lowest Cash Price at which it is possible to obtain them.

OUR AMBITION IS NOT TO FOLLOW, BUT TO LEAD.

And our Goods, Prices and Attention will all aim toward this result.

We have PECULIAR ADVANTAGES which will, we believe, enable us to command a large share of public patronage.

We will advertise nothing but what we are prepared to do, relying upon the values we offer as the best and surest means of gaining public favor.

INSPECTION AND CRITICISM INVITED.

THE WHITE HOUSE, - - Hutcheson, Young & Co., Prop'rs.

October 24th, 1881. oc25

BUNSTER'S BREWERY

JOHNSON STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

LEAHY & BORTHWICK

HAVING LEASED THIS WELL KNOWN BREWery are prepared to fill all orders with promptitude.

A FIRST CLASS ARTICLE ONLY WILL B SUPPLIED.

Mr. LEAHY'S experience as a Brewer enabling the firm to give this guarantee to the public.

ORDERS from Town and Country are respectfully solicited.
LEAHY & BORTHWICK.
Victoria, Feb. 9, 1882. fe10

PLAYING CARDS

DOUGHERTY'S STAR AND PLAID BACKS,

JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT

je22 THE COLONIST STATIONERY STORE.

INOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL ONLY accept COIN FOR RENT, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
'30 L. LOWENBERG,

VIENNA MARKET

NEW AND ENLARGED PREMISES.
NEW GOODS AND LOW PRICES

THE UNDERSIGNED HAS THE HONOR TO announce that he has removed his

POULTRY, FISH AND FRUIT MARKET

To GOVERNMENT STREET, nearly opposite the Arcade Restaurant.

He is now prepared to supply Families, Hotels and Dealers with the freshest and best descriptions of articles. California Fruits received by every steamer.

Island and Mainland Eggs, Butter, Cheese, Fruits and Vegetables, and a well selected stock of

GROCERIES AND CONFECTIONERY.

Always on hand. GEO. VIENNA.
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NOTICE.

TENDERS FOR THE PURCHASE OF LOTS 206 and 207, Group II, New Westminster District, will be received to the 2nd day of March next, at noon, by the undersigned. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Titles, Crown Grants.
DAVIE & POOLEY.
Dated 31st January, Victoria fe1

Daily Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, FEB. 25TH, 1882.

TELEPHONIC.

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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Feb. 24—Str Idaho, San Francisco
Str Pilot, Burrard Inlet

CLEARED.

Feb. 24—Str Idaho, Pt Townsend
Str Pilot, Nanaimo

PASSENGERS.

Per str WILSON G. HUNT, for Nanaimo—Miss Wolfe, Miss Fry, Miss Myers, M Wolfe, H Bell, Father Lemmens, C Robinson, G Lockyer, J Stewart, F Norris.

FAMILY MARKET REPORT.

SATURDAY MORNING, February 25.

BUTTER—Choice Island, 50c ₱ lb; Island Roll, 75c ₱lb; New Grass Cal., $1 ₱ roll.

CHEESE—Canadian, 30c. ₱lb.; Cala., 25c.; Eastern Cream, 30c; B.C., 25c.; Stilton, 37½c.

EGGS—Choice Island, 37½c.₱doz.; Farm, 25c.

CORNMEAL—50c.₱sack of 10lb .

FLOUR—Extra, $6 50 ₱ bbrl.; $1 75 ₱ sack; Super, $5 50 ₱brl.

WHEAT—2@2½c.₱lb.

BEANS—Lima, 8c.₱lb; Small White and Bayou, 5c.

SPLIT PEAS—10c.₱lb.

VEGETABLES—Potatoes, 1½c.₱lb.; Sweet, 4c. ₱ lb.; Onions, 3c₱lb; Celery, 37½c₱doz; Carrots, 1½c₱lb; Rhubarb, 4c.₱lb; Lettuce, 10c.₱dz; Cauliflower, 37½₱ doz; Asparagus, -c. ₱lb; Radishes, 25c.₱doz bunchs; Squash, 2c₱lb; Turnips, 50c₱doz.bun; Green Peas, -c ₱lb; String Beans, 6c₱lb; Cucumbers, 25c ₱dz; Cabbage, 2c₱lb; Tomatoes, 4c₱lb; Green Ochra, —c₱lb; Chili Pepper, 25c₱lb; Green Corn, 25c ₱ 10; Shallots, 5c ₱lb

BACON—Breakfast, Heywood's Gilt Edge, 22½c. ₱lb; Gosnell's, 22½c; Oregon, 20c

HAMS—Home Cured, Heywood's,(new)25c.₱lb; Chicago, 25c.; Oregon, 22c; Shoulders, —c.

LARD—25c.₱lb.

FISH—Cod, 5c. ₱ lb; Salmon, 6c. ₱ lb; Boneless Cod, 16c; Soles, 6c; Halibut, 6c Yarmouth Bloaters, 25c. ₱ doz.; Sal. Bellies, 3 for 50c; Herring, 3c.; Flounder, 6c ; Smoked Oolachans and Salmon, 12½c.; Smelt, 6c.; Sturgeon, 6c; Whiting, 6c.; Shrimp, 25c; Salt Oolachans, 6c.; Crabs, 50c. ₱ doz; Smoked Herring, 12½c.₱lb.

CANNED SALMON—1lb tins, per doz., $2.

FRUIT—Lemons, 50@75c.dz; Oranges, 30@50c.₱dz; Limes, 37½c.₱doz.; Apples, 8c. ₱lb; Cranberries, 50c. ₱ gal.; Quinces, 6c ₱ lb; Pears,5@8c; Grapes,—c; Bananas, 50c₱dz; Cocoanuts, 12½.ea; Cherries, —c₱lb; Apricots, —c₱lb; Strawberries, —c₱lb; Gooseberries, -c₱lb; Raspberries,—c.₱lb; Plums, — ₱ lb; Peaches, —c.

CANDIED FRUITS—Lemon, 50c.₱lb; Mixed, 62½

CURRANTS—Zante, 15@16c₱lb.

RAISINS—English Layers, 33⅓c ₱ lb.; Cala., 25c Sultana, Valencia and Elemc, 25c.

FIGS—New, 50c.₱lb.

MIXED SPICES—25c.₱ tin.

STARCH—$1 per box.

TEA & COFFEE—Coffee, ground, 50c. ₱ lb; green, 28c.₱lb; Tea, from 37½c. to $1 25 ₱ lb.

SUGARS—Crushed or Cube, 6lbs. or $1; Granulated or No. 1, 7lbs for $1; D or No. 2, 8lbs. for $1.

NUTS—Eng. Walnuts, 20c.₱lb; Cocoanuts, 12½.ea; Almonds—Paper Shell, 37½c.; Jordan, 75c Brazil, 37½c. Chestnuts, 37½c.

ROLLED SPICED BEEF—12½c.₱lb.; Ox Tongues 62½@75c. ea.; Smoked Tongues, $1 ea.

BEEF—Choice Cuts, 10c. ₱ lb; other cuts, 7@10c Soup meat, 5@7c.

MUTTON—Choice Joints, 10@12½c.; Stewing meat 6c.

PORK—10@12½c.₱lb.

VEAL—10@12½c.₱lb.

LAMB—Fore quarters, $1 25; hind quarters, $1 50.

SAUSAGES—15lb. 25c.

SUET—12½c.₱lb.

SUCKING PIGS—$2.50@3.50 ea.

CHICKENS—62½@75c ea.; Spring Chickens, $5₱dz

TURKEYS—25c. ₱lb.

GEESE—Tame, 25c. ₱lb.; Wild, 50c.@75c. ea.

COAL OIL—$2 50 ₱ tin; ₱ case, $4 50.

OYSTERS—75c. ₱ quart; Canned, 37½

HAY—$18@$20 per ton.

OATS—1¾c.₱lb.

MIDDLINGS—1⅞@2c. ₱lb.

BRAN—1½c.₱lb.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The Guaranteed Circulation of "The Colonist" is more than double that of any other Newspaper Published in the Province.

The Governor-General's Speech.

A very full telegraphic synopsis of this document having appeared in *The Colonist* ten days ago nothing remains to be quoted save the following paragraph which possesses interest to British Columbians:

"The work of construction on that portion of the Canadian Pacific railway between Prince Arthur's Landing and Winnipeg is being pressed to completion and it is confidently expected that in July next railway communication will be established between these places. The section between Rat Portage and Winnipeg, one hundred and thirty-five miles in length, has been completed and transferred under the terms of the contract to the Canada Pacific Railway Company, by whom it is now operated. Considerable progress has been made on the eastern section, commencing at Callender Station and the vigorous prosecution of the work on that portion of the line during the present year provided for. In British Columbia the work upon the section between Savona Ferry and Emory Bar is being carried on with every prospect of its completion within the time specified in the contract and the line from the latter place to Port Moody, which has been carefully located during the past season, is now being placed under contract with a view to its completion at the same date as the section from Savona Ferry to Emory Bar. Upon the sections to be constructed by the Railway Company the work has been most energetically carried forward. During the past summer the road has been graded for the distance of two hundred and eighteen miles, and of this one hundred and sixty-one miles are completed and open for traffic. The company have in addition graded eighty-nine miles of branch lines. I am pleased to be able to state that the traffic on the Intercolonial railway has largely increased and that this line was, during the last fiscal year, for the first time in its history, worked without expense to the country."

A NOTICE OF VALUE.—Mr. DeCosmos gives notice of an enquiry relating to the amount of revenue collected in British Columbia, the population of that Province as shown by the new census, the amount of merchandise imported into British Columbia by way of Eastern Canada ports and by way of San Francisco, and the amount of money expended and work done on the Onderdonk contract.

DRYDOCK.—Work was resumed yesterday. One of the workmen had his foot badly bruised near the concrete mixer in the afternoon.

What Some People Say.

That there is nothing like "settling down" said a retired merchant confidentially to his nephew. "When I gave up business I settled down and found I had quite a comfortable fortune. If I had settled up I should not have had one cent."

That the indications are that Sir John meditates a brief session at Ottawa and an election perhaps next autumn.

That the longest session of the Dominion parliament on record was the first one which lasted 118 days. The shortest was second session of 1873 which only lasted 16 days. The average length of the sessions is 75 days.

That the new batch of knights will not be made at present. "Sir Anthony's" anticipated honor is unaccountably delayed. Can it be that he has been guyed as badly as Oscar Wilde by the Rochester students?

That there are 43 convicts in the B. C. penitentiary against 33 last year, and that there has been an aggregate reduction of 69 in all other penitentiaries throughout the Dominion.

That the charitable public will bear in mind the Convalescent Home benefit at Theatre Royal this evening. There should be a general turnout, the Rockets having taken great pains to get themselves "well up" for the occasion.

That Mr. Bunstor arrived at the federal capital on the 10th inst. just in time to be too late to hear the speech read. He had two bags of luggage and slept a profound and indignant sleep in the house while a French member gabbled away.

That he is looking out for a boarding-house.

That a Miss Corbet appeared on the senate floor arrayed in semi-æsthetic costume. The dress was of black velvet ornamented with two sunflowers on the right shoulder and two more at the waist. Some influential society people have been engineering to have Oscar Wilde visit the capital during the session.

That double breasted sacques are out of style.

That eglantine pink is a new shade for spring.

That Worth is bringing plain stuffs into fashion.

That Jersey dresses are fashionable for little girls.

That colored Spanish laces ornament new bonnets.

That spangles are on new silk fans for evening use.

That India red foulards are made up as Mother Hubbard wrappers.

That there will be a Spelling Bee at the conversazione to be held at St. James Hall on the 2d proximo.

That the best speller will take the first prize and the second best the second prize.

That there will be rare fun.

That the steamer Otter went nearly down to Cape Flattery yesterday hunting for the Princess Royal while the vessel was snugly at anchor in Esquimalt harbor, having arrived there before the Otter started.

That Mr. Armstrong was asked to move and Mr. Drummond to second the reply to the address.

That Mr. McGillivray will move the address in reply to the speech and that Mr. McIlmoyl or Mr. Abrams will second.

That the weather yesterday was mild and springlike.

That the mechanical portion of our office is still in great confusion consquent upon the important changes in progress. It will take another week to straighten matters out.

That the Port Townsend *Argus* will have a daily issue.

Marine.

The Pilot brought down the barque Zouave yesterday morning from Moodyville, lumber laden for Valparaiso, and at noon yesterday she started for Departure Bay with the barkantine Constitution from Honolulu. She will then cross over to the Inlet and tow down the ship Blackwall from Hastings, lumber laden for Melbourne.

H. B. Co.'s barque Princess Royal was towed into Esquimalt harbor early yesterday morning by the Alexander. She will be at her wharf early this morning. The following is her memorandum:

Left the dock 29th of September, Gravesend the 30th and passed the Lizards October the 2nd with easterly weather and moderate N. E. trades; crossed the equator October 30th, moderate S. E. trades; from there down to Staten Island, which was rounded December 10th, 72 days out, dirty, unsettled weather and several heavy gales with high seas; vessel straining and shipping a quantity of water; the passage round Cape Horn fine, 19 days from 50 to 50 south; fine weather and moderate winds in the South Pacific; crossed the equator in 116 W., 117 days out, strong N. E. trades; from 30 north very dirty, unsettled northerly and N. W. winds; September 17th experienced a very heavy northerly gale with heavy sea, vessel shipping large quantities of water; made Cape Beale February 22d; strong westerly wind; took pilot on board off the Race Thursday morning and anchored at Esquimalt at midnight 147 days from London, 143 from the land. All well.

The arrival of another ship was reported yesterday afternoon, but it proved to be the Zouave which drifted back with the tide and anchored in the roads.

POLICE COURT.—The preliminary examination of Wong Foong and the two Chinese women charged with the murder on Fisgard street was resumed at 1 p. m. yesterday. No further evidence was adduced, and at the close of the investigation all the prisoners were committed for trial. The woman Chat Moi was admitted to bail, herself in $1000 and two sureties in $500 each, to appear at the assizes. Kum Soon, Wing Chong, Car Lock, Ah Kai and Chin Kee were discharged.

A SCALDING SCRAPE.—Yesterday afternoon some Indians living in Waddington alley got themselves well under the influence of bad whisky when an altercation ensued over the stove, upon which was a pot of boiling water. One of them, a notoriously rough and troublesome character, deliberately picked up the hot water and threw it full in the face of the man with whom he was quarreling. The poor wretch's face, breast and hands were terribly scalded. His assailant was promptly arrested by the police and lodged in gaol, where he will remain till the scalded man can appear against him.

VISIT TO THE DRYDOCK.—A number of the members of the House with the Mayor visited the drydock works yesterday and inspected them thoroughly. The cement, as a matter of course, came in for criticism. The party were on the ground two or three hours and returned with their minds richly stored with valuable information.

FENDER piles are being placed in position on Yates' new wharf which is fast approaching completion. The excavations and blasting for the new warehouse are progressing rapidly, and building material for the large sheds is accumulating.

OPENING OF THE DOMINION PARLIAMENT.

A Brilliant Gathering.

A PRACTICAL AND STATESMANLIKE SPEECH.

OTTAWA, Feb. 9.

The fourth session of the fourth Parliament of Canada was opened this afternoon with ceremonies and surroundings more than usually brilliant and attractive.

Shortly after one o'clock people began to gather in front of the Houses of Parliament. Their number increased rapidly, so that by three o'clock, when His Excellency arrived, there must have been several thousand persons on the hill. About a quarter to three a guard of honor composed of one hundred men of the Governor-General's Dragoon Guards marched into Parliament square and took up their places in front of the main entrance. With a punctuality most commendable his Excellency arrived at the main entrance just as the clock was striking three. He was escorted from Rideau hall by a detachment of the Princess Louise Dragoons. The vicerogal party consisted of his Excellency the Governor-General, Mr. and Lady Frances Balfour, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stephenson, Lieut.-Col. DeWinton, Col. Dyde, A.D.C. to the Queen, Col. Gzowski, A. D. C. to the Queen, Captain the Hon. W. Bagot, Major Stewart and Captain Provost, A. D. C.'s, Col. Irvine and Capt. Cotton. On his Excellency driving up the guard of honor presented arms, while the battery at Napean Point thundered out a Royal salute.

The galleries and floor of the Senate were crowded to their utmost capacity. Black Rod having summoned the Commoners, the Speech having been read in both English and French, his Excellency withdrew. The number of ladies on the floor of the House was large. The British Columbia ladies present were Mrs. Barnard and Mrs. Dewdney.

IN THE HOUSE.

Mr. Reid, member for Cariboo, was introduced by Sir John Macdonald and Sir Charles Tupper and took his seat on the government side. Far-distant Cariboo was thanked by the cheers which greeted its representative, Mr. Reid, while noble Bellechasse, with its record of numerous battles fought for the cause of the party of progress, was loudly thanked as Mr. Aymot was presented. Sir John was as gay as a lark, nodding, smiling, tapping this one on the shoulder, and giving that one a friendly shake.

IN THE SENATE.

In the Senate, Donald McInnes, Thomas McKay, A. W. Ogilvie and James Skead were introduced and took their seats, having previously subscribed to the required declaration.

FEB. 10.

In the Senate, Mr. McInnes of British Columbia moved and Mr. Ogilvie of Montreal seconded the address in reply to the speech.

In the Commons, Mr. Bergeron moved and Mr. Guillet seconded the address in reply.

Mr. Blake, when the first paragraph was read, criticised the speech, reasserting his hostility to the syndicate bargain and generally condemning the government policy.

Sir John Macdonald made a short but effective reply in which he rallied the opposition upon their inconsistency and breach of the public faith.

The address was then passed, section by section, and the House adjourned.

Excise.

The annual report of the Minister of Inland Revenue for the year ended 30th of January last, presented by the Hon. J. C. Aikins, is accompanied by two supplements relating to weights and measures and inspection of food respectively. There has been an increase of revenue as compared with the previous year as follows:—

Excise	$108,875
Public Works	40,252
Culling timber	15,383
Bill stamps	16,908
Weights and measures, gas inspection, and law stamps	17,241

A table shows the quantity of spirits taken for consumption in 1880-81 exceed the quantity taken during the previous year by 924,176 gallons, or more than 40 per cent., and exceeds the average of the previous four years by 242,836 gallons, or over eight per cent. The quantity of spirits taken for consumption falls short of that taken in 1873-74, when it amounted to 4,566,508 gallons, or 42 per cent. greater than the year under consideration. Twelve illicit stills were seized during the year. The revenue from malt and malt liquor for the year was $294,131. The average revenue from this source for the four preceding years was $407,306. The quantity of malt manufactured during the year was 67,132,206 lbs., or more than 8,000,000 lbs. in excess of any previous year, and over 68,000,000 pounds in excess of the year 1880. The quantity of tobacco manufactured during the year was 8,623,747 pounds, which is slightly above the average of the four previous years. The quantity of Canadian-grown tobacco shows a remarkable increase, being 397,276 pounds, or more than six times the quantity of any one of the previous five years.

THE HERRING FISHERY.—Dr. Louis C. d' Homergue, the founder of the great Manhaden fishery interest in and about New York harbor, and who is interested in that important industry, arrived by the Idaho and proceeded yesterday in company with Mr. Chas. Vernon on board the Pilot for Burrard Inlet to inspect and place in efficient order the herring fishery establishment at that point. A quantity of improved machinery for use in the works was brought by the Idaho, was carried by the Pilot to the Inlet. Dr. d' Homergue will remain in the province for two or three weeks.

AN UPSET AND A RESCUE.—A small specimen of Siwash of seven or eight years of age started off from Rock Bay bridge to Cook's shipyard in a little cockle shell of a dug-out, and when part of the way over got upset. He managed to get on the outside of the canoe and shouted lustily for help. Two other Indian children, even younger, went off to his assistance in n canoe which would only just carry them, and, fearing that to take their shipwrecked brother on board would risk another capsize, they towed both boy and canoe ashore and landed him in safety.

NOT B. C.—The Toronto *World* makes the inexcusable geographical error of locating Seattle, the recent scene of the lynch law executions, in British Columbia. The *World* is only about 114 miles out of the way.

Trade and Navigation Returns.

The trade and navigation report shows that the exports for the year 1880-81 amounted to $98,290,823, said to be "principally composed of Canadian produce and manufactures.' The largest export of any preceding year was in 1873, when it aggregated $89,789,922. The total trade of the Dominion amounted last year to $189,902,427, the largest total of any year except 1874-75, when it ran up to $197,506,636. The total imports of 1880-81 exceeded the total exports by $7,040,017. The table of total imports and the duties thereupon for each year since 1867 is exceedingly instructive. It shows that while $14,421,882 was collected on a total import of $128,213,582 in 1874, and $15,351,392 on a total of $123,070,283 in 1875, and less than $13,000,000 each subsequent year to 1879, there was collected this year no less than $18,500,785 on a total of $105,335,840. While in the last year of the Mackenzie Administration each dollar of imports paid about 14½ cts., last year each dollar paid 17½ cents. Taking only the goods entered for consumption, these percentages become 14 and 20 respectively, that is on all goods imported to be consumed. Last year there were 6 cents more paid by way of taxation on each dollar than there had been in 1870. The percentage on the total imports into Ontario for 1881 was 18.27; into Quebec, 15.79; into Nova Scotia, 18.35; into New Brunswick, 11.25; into Manitoba, 22.9; British Columbia, 24.08; and into Prince Edward Island, 26.58. The rate of Customs per head of the population of each Province is as follows:—Ontario, $3 32; Quebec, $5 94; Nova Scotia, $3 40; New Brunswick, $3 91; Manitoba, $8 84; British Columbia, $9 99; and Prince Edward Island, $2 38.

Supreme Court.

(Before the Full Bench.)

FRIDAY, Feb. 23.

Sewell *vs.* Moodyville S. M. Co. *et al*—Mr. Theo. Davie for the plaintiff; Mr. Drake and Mr. Pooley for defendants.

Counsel for plaintiff moved that the verdict of the jury in this case be recorded for the plaintiff, or that a new trial be granted. The argument for the plaintiff was not concluded when the Court was adjourned till Saturday morning at 10½ o'clock.

DISALLOWED BILLS.—Mr. Patterson of Essex has moved for a return of all the Acts of the provinces disallowed by the government of the Dominion since July 1st, 1867. The abortive Acts of British Columbia alone would make a good-sized volume.

TELEPHONE EXTENSION.—During the present week the Manager of the telephone company has supplied five new subscribers with instruments. There are now 127 on the list and another new sheet is required.

RIVERS INLET.—The steamer Grappler returned last night from Rivers Inlet, where she landed Messrs. Hart and Drainey, with men and plant to establish a new cannery.

IRON pillars in the new front of the White House dry goods store were placed in position yesterday.

Hard Woods.

TO THE EDITOR.—The next hardwood timber tree of which I wish to have a few words to say in its favor is *robinia pseudo-acacia*, common acacia or locust tree of our American cousins. This is not only a very ornamental but a highly useful timber tree. The wood when green is of a soft texture but becoming very hard when dry, and of a close grain, finely veined, and valued highly by cabinet-makers. It is as durable as the best white oak and is esteemed preferable for many mechanical purposes. It is largely used for trenails and shipbuilding—posts for fencing standing wet and dry in the ground better than any other wood in common use. It makes excellent fuel and its shade is less injurious to grass than that of most other trees. The leaves afford wholesome food for cattle. It is peculiarly adapted for coppice woods, its growth being very rapid whilst young, shoots of this tree 6 and 8 feet long in one summer being not uncommon. It attains the height of from forty to sixty feet and of proportionate diameter in thirty years if planted in good soil. The wood properly seasoned is quite equal in strength, if not superior, to that of oak. A piece of unseasoned *acacia* 2 feet 6 inches long and 1 inch square in the vertical section, broke when loaded with a weight of 247 pounds avoirdupois.

H. MITCHELL,

February 22nd, 1882.

Wanted---A Night School for the Ministry.

TO THE EDITOR.—The Governor's speech is indeed a most remarkable document. The glaring grammatical blunders and slipshod composition indicate sad want as to educational requirements; and it would be a very graceful act if the parliament voted a sum of money towards defraying the cost of a night school for the better education of the ministry. I give a few specimens of composition as found in the said speech: "In meeting you in," instead of "meeting you in;" "avail myself of the opportunity for expressing," instead of "to express;" "in assuring you," instead of "to assure you;" "resolution of last session relating to," instead of "relative to;" "the abundance of fish; its superior quality," instead of "their superior quality;" "for the holding of," instead of "to hold;" "rights of the province, in regard to it"—"in regard to it" should have been left out.

SCHOOL BOY.

FOR CANKER IN THE MOUTH, THROAT AND STOMACH.—For a wash for the mouth and a gargle for the throat, make a strong mixture of Perry Davis' Pain-Killer in milk and water, sweetened with loaf sugar, and take internally three times a day, a teaspoonful of the Pain-Killer mixed in a gill of milk and water, sweetened with loaf sugar. *

BEAUTIFUL HAIR is one of the most striking and pleasing characteristics and can easily be obtained by using Cingalese Hair Renewer. Price, 50 cents per bottle. For sale by all druggists. * lydw

FOOLING WITH KEROSENE.

A HORRIBLE AFFAIR IN ONTARIO.

Five Persons Enveloped in Flames in an Instant.

A Madoc dispatch of Feb. 9th says. Probably the most frightful calamity that ever befel any family in this portion of Ontario overtook John Morland and his wife and children between the hours of 12 and 1 o'clock. Morland is a sober, hardworking farmer living about ten or twelve miles southwest of the village of Madoc and in the township of Huntingdon. Yesterday morning he and his wife and Peter Vanallan, who is getting out logs in the neighborhood, was boarding at Morland's along with two young men in Vanallan's employ These were Simon Rambeau of Napanee and Minor Hough of Belleville. There were besides these in the household Morland's six children, as follows: John, aged 12 years; Henry, aged 10; Lizzie, aged 8; Sarah, aged 6; Charlie, aged 2, and a baby boy some 6 or 7 months old. Miss Susanna Douglas having come to take care of the children in the mother's absence, was also unfortunately in the house at the time of the disaster. It seems that about midnight Vanallan and the Morlands come home and found Miss Douglas and the two young men still out of bed awaiting their arrival. The young men assisted to put out the horses and carry in the things out of the sleigh and then they hurried off to bed. Mr. and Mrs. Morland, Mr. Vanallan and Miss Douglas remained up, however, and waked up two of the children, Sarah and Charlie, to let them try on new boots that had been purchased for them. It would seem a large vessel of coal oil had just been brought home and was leaking on the floor, when the man named Peter Van Allan, thinking to remove the oil from the floor, put a light to it, and in a few moments the whole thing was in a blaze. Then all was confusion, and the survivors are not clear as to what happened. Miss Douglas opened the door, but for some reason closed it again without making her escape. Perhaps with true womanly instinct she turned to save the helpless little ones. Vanallan seized a fulled-cloth overcoat still hoping to smother the conflagration, but before he knew what he was doing the room was literally full of blazing gas, and he was just able to stagger to the door fainting and half suffocated.

All this time not a sound came from the doomed ones inside the house, and Vanallan says he only heard the wailings of Morland as he staggered out of the house with beard and clothing both on fire after a vain attempt to save his wife and little ones by groping wildly about in the mass of seething flames in doors. A door at the back of the house was burst open and a window driven in, but the house was literally full of blazing gas, and it was impossible to enter. In the meantime the three boys—John, Henry and little Charlie—had managed in some way to escape, but Mrs. Morland and Miss Douglas, and Lizzie, Sarah and Baby Morland were never seen again. Meantime the young men Hough and Rambeau had not been alarmed as early as those down stairs, though it is presumable they were not asleep. Hough sprang from the window, while Rambeau threw himself down stairs. Both were still alive this afternoon when I visited the scene of the disaster, and hopes are entertained of Hough's ultimate recovery, but poor Rambeau has no chance whatever. He is frightfully burned all over. Some parts of his person are entirely burned away, his ears being so charred that they crumble to pieces when touched. He is perfectly conscious and rational, however. Hough is blackened and disfigured beyond recognition, but Dr. Hudson, who is attending him, thinks he will recover. How Rambeau escaped after falling headlong downstairs he himself does not know, but from the frightful manner in which he has been burned almost to cinder it is probable that he dragged himself out of the burning building on his hands and knees. The survivors saw nothing of him till they found him lying in a bed of blood-soaked snow outside the house.

Careful search was made in the ruins this morning, but of the five unhappy victims that perished there is not a shred that is recognizable remaining. Two heavy masses of cinder that have been found are supposed from their shape to be the heads and shoulders of the two women, but not a trace of the little ones is to be found. Of the three little boys that escaped only one is burned at all, and that not seriously.

BRITISH POLITICS.

The Tories Forcing a Contest with the Radicals.

NEW YORK, Feb. 19.—A cable special to the *World* from London says: The tories are apparently inclined to force a contest with the radical element. Lord Beaconsfield would have known better; but the Marquis of Salisbury has an idea that the England of to-day is the England of last century when the "old nobility" were feared and the upper classes regarded as indispensable to the existence of the country: This is a tremendous mistake. The radicals are wonderfully active and in a struggle with what is left of the crown and aristocracy would sweep all before them. Gladstone has long carried a stone in his pocket for the aristocracy and he will not die in peace until he has hurled it at them. It is very unfortunate however that the court party should drag the Queen into the strife. Her great knowledge of affairs and her invariable respect for all her advisers regardless of party should have saved her from this.

WE should not suffer from a Cough, when a few doses of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral will cure. Time, money, comfort, health, all are saved by it. *

M. G. BAILEY offers to the public a pamphlet for 25 cents which is a denominational equalizer and a perfect chart to Heaven. *

AGAIN THE CZAR'S LIFE.

An Attempt to Kill Alexander III Not Reported by the Russian Press.

The following statement of an attempt upon the Czar's life comes from a private source. The Czar finds that he is not safe in his Palace of Gatschina. It was his habit to rise early in the morning and go at once to his study, and when he rose it was the duty of the guard to make a fire in the stove. Sometimes the Czar himself handled the wood. A private letter, dated St. Petersburg, January 10th, says that an attempt was made in December to kill Czar, which the Russian papers are not permitted to report. Early in the month the Inspector of the Palace rushed into the presence of the Adjutant, and told him to warn the Czar not to have a fire made in the stove, for he had overheard a suspicious talk between the fireman, whose duty it was to furnish the wood, and an officer of the guard. The Czar and an adjutant examined the fuel, and, after some search, found that several pieces of wood were hollow and filled with dynamite—enough in all to have caused an explosion equal to that at the Winter Palace a year earlier. The fireman and officer disappeared and have not yet been found. Alexander does not dare go near his conservatory, which has been one of his favorite resorts, for he has been warned of danger there, and it is believed that the plants are poisoned.—*Springfield Republican, 28th ult.*

A Question Never Asked Me.

MR. GILMORE:—What class of work are you making at your store on Johnson street?

Everybody knows that I am a Merchant Tailor and have always done the principal business of that kind in this Province since June, '58, and that I now employ more white labor and pay more wages in one month which goes to the support of respectable white families, than all the Chinese slop factory stores in the country do in one year. I manufacture my own goods and pay my own cash. There is no company's key to lock my door and keep honest men from collecting what justly belongs to them. I can manufacture goods cheaper and sell cheaper than any store in Victoria. Therefore, I invite my old customers and the public generally to encourage white labor and go to A. Gilmore, Johnson street. Good and cheap goods for all.

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SELLING OFF AT COST FOR THIRTY DAYS.

A. Gilmore, Johnson street, Clothier and Outfitter, begs to announce that he will sell off the balance of his stock of winter clothing for one month from date to make room for a large invoice of spring goods. Parties desiring good goods at very low prices should call and examine.

A. GILMORE.

FEBRUARY, 21st, 1882. *

1882. VALENTINES. 1882.

The undersigned beg to announce that they have just received one of the most varied and elegant assortments of VALENTINES ever imported into this Province, which for beauty of design and elegance in workmanship far surpasses any heretofore received by us.

An early inspection is invited by

1mdw M. W. WAITT & CO.

Burdock Blood Bitters

Cures all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, female complaints, nervous and general debility, and builds up the entire system when broken down by disease. *

Druggists' Notice.

Having purchased the stock of Mr. A. B. COOKE, and his establishment having been CLOSED, those who were accustomed to have their medicines dispensed there will find Mr. COOKE'S prescription-book at my store. THOMAS SHOTBOLT.

VICTORIA, B. C., Feb. 5th, 1882. *

Music.

V. Poncelet, Teacher of Violin, Flute and Cornet.

The best music furnished for balls, parties, concerts and theatre.

Leave orders at Russell's block, Government street, up stairs. *

Virtue Acknowledged.

Mrs. Ira Mullholland, Oakville, writes: "For several years I have suffered from oft-recurring billious headaches, dyspepsia, and complaints peculiar to my sex. Since using your Burdock Blood Bitters I am entirely relieved. *

Burdock Blood Bitters

Cures scrofula, erysipelas, salt rheum piles and all humors of the blood. Cures dyspepsia, liver complaint, billiousness, constipation, dropsy, kidney complaints, headache, nervousness, female weakness and general debility. *

HALL'S Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer is highly recommended by physicians clergymen and scientists as a preparation accomplishing wonderful results. It is entirely harmless, and a certain remedy for removing dandruff, making the scalp white and clean, and restoring gray hair to its youthful color. It imparts a gloss and freshness to the hair which all admire. *

THE pangs endured by the early Christian martyrs were no doubt excruciating, but not so prolonged or scarcely more dreadful than those experienced by the sufferers from inflammatory rheumatism—a disease which is easily curable at the outset with Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil—a sovereign remedy for pain—a reliable curative of kidney, liver and other complaints, and a medicine of the purest as well as the most salutary kind. 37

BOYS SUITS! BOYS SUITS!! BOYS SUITS!!! A. B. Gray & Co. having imported a heavy stock of Tweeds, we have marked them at low prices, to cause their speedy sale and have greatly reduced the prices of making up into boys' suits. Suits now made up to compete in price with the imported slop-made goods and a better article furnished. *

PARLIAMENT will soon meet; but no bill it can pass will stop that cough. Use Balsam of Honey, only 50 cents a bottle. See that a bee-hive is on each bottle, and take no other. For sale only by Moore & Co., Yates street. dw

Beacon Light Coal Oil.

We claim this oil to be the best in the market. The manufacturer has made it his specialty, and it is not compounded of any mixtures but is picked from the BEST WELLS in Pennsylvania, the same as a miller picks his grain. It is therefore a finer article than the production of the average run of oil works. THESE ARE FACTS, and an examination and use of the oil will PROVE all we claim for it. The demand for the oil is increasing daily. Parties who bought one case for trial have bought again in ten and twenty case lots. Every one should use it because no special burner is required for the Beacon Light, as it burns well in any lamp designed for petroleum. It is conceded that in the manufacture of the Beacon Light all the objectionable features of petroleum have been overcome and a White, Water Color Oil is given the consumer. It produces a brilliant light, free from smoke and smell, and in point of economy it is unequalled by any other, and is the best oil for general and family use in the market.

When burning BEACON LIGHT OIL do not use a wick that has been placed in any other oil.

OPPENHEIMER BROS.,
Sole Agents.

Clearing Out Sale.

BROWN & WHITE beg to notify their customers and the public that they will now offer all winter goods at reduced prices. Ladies' Ulsters, Jackets, Dolmans, &c., in the latest styles. Very cheap Furs at cost price. Staple and regular goods will be found of the best quality and value.

BROWN & WHITE,
Government Street.

TARDY.

Swerve this time, St. Valentine,
Nosotros pesaroso;
Pero poco tiempo,
Mucho cosas lindo.
At last they have arrived and are
like the cornucopia,
14th February, St. Valentine's day.

T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

The First Step.

Self-respect is the first step in all reformations; and when your blood is laden with impurities and you are suffering from billiousness or dyspepsia, the first step to a radical cure is to take Burdock Blood Bitters. Price $1 00, trial size 10 cents. *

What's in a Name?

The virtue of most of the patent medicines with which the market is flooded lies in the name, but the virtues of Burdock Blood Bitters lie in the *fact* that they cleanse the blood of impurities, and cure dyspepsia, billiousness and indigestion. Price $1 00, trial bottle 10 cents. *

BRITISH COLUMBIA BOOT AND SHOE STORE.—Mr. H. Mansell's reason for adopting for his establishment the title of "British Columbia Boot and Shoe Store" is to prevent error in the delivery of letters. Persons corresponding with the house are requested to address their correspondence to the "B. C. Boot and Shoe Store, Victoria, B. C." *

REDUCTION IN PRICE.—Having received a large consignment of Green's August Flower and German Syrup direct, I am enabled to sell these celebrated medicines at the reduced price of seventy-five cents per bottle.

*1m THOS. SHOTBOLT.

MR. W. T. DRAKE has removed his Coal office to J. P. Davies auction rooms, Wharf street. *

W. JACKSON'S DRUG STORE,

GOVERNMENT STREET, between Yates and Johnson streets, Victoria, B.C.

Drugs, Perfumery Hair Brushes and Combs,

PATENT BADGER HAIR TOOTH BRUSHES
ENOS' FRUIT SALT,
BOSCHEE'S GERMAN SYRUP,
THOMAS' ECLECTRIC OIL,
GREEN'S AUGUST FLOWER,
CLARK'S BLOOD PURIFYER

And all other Patent Medicines. Prescriptions compounded.

Drugs, etc., forwarded to any part of the Province. Kay's Congaline for mending glass, crockery, etc.

DR. JACKSON MAY BE CONSULTED GRATIS DAILY FROM 10 TO 12 A.M. AND FROM 7 TO 9 P. M. AT HIS OFFICE AND DRUG STORE. RESIDENCE, MICHIGAN STREET, JAMES BAY.

MESSAGES FROM THE COUNTRY PROMPTLY ATTENDED TO. de6

NATIONAL PILLS SUGAR COATED. PURELY VEGETABLE

Highly recommended for **Biliousness, Head-Ache, Constipation, Indigestion, Dizziness, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Loss of Appetite, Jaundice, Loss of Memory,** Sour Stomach, **Liver Complaint,** or any illness arising from the **Stomach, Bowels** or **Kidneys.** They are safe, mild and thorough in their action. From 1 to 3 pills is a dose. PRICE 25c. PER BOX.

HIDES AND CALFSKINS.

Highest Market Rates Paid for the above.

CONSIGNMENTS SOLICITED.
PROMPT RETURNS RENDERED

W. HEATHORN

VICTORIA BOOT & SHOE MANUFACTORY AND ROCK BAY TANNERY. fe24

LD. LOWENBERG REAL ESTATE AGENT

GOVERNMENT ST. NEAR CORNER OF BROUGHTON

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION TO selling, purchasing and leasing property; negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at this office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage and in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

TO NURSERYMEN AND FRUIT GROWERS.

WHALE OIL SOAP,

MADE WITH CAUSTIC CHEMICALS AND PREPARED EXPRESSLY FOR DESTROYING INSECTS ON TREES.

Put up in Tins containing TEN POUNDS and sold at ONE DOLLAR EACH. *

The attention of the proprietors of Fishing Establishments is called to our stock of CAUSTIC SODA in drums and ROSIN in casks, which will be sold Cheaper than it can be imported from San Francisco.

PENDRAY & CO.,
BRITISH COLUMBIA SOAP WORKS.
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GENERAL ABSTRACT

SHOWING the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the BANK OF BRITISH NORTH AMERICA, within the Province of British Columbia, taken from the usual weekly statements, during the Quarter ending 31st December, 1881.

LIABILITIES.		ASSETS.	
Notes in Circulation not bearing interest	$ 56,726 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$103,176 00
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	18,637 00	Gold Bullion	6,595 00
Deposits ON CALL not bearing interest	130,283 00	Notes and Cheques of other Banks	5,808 00
Deposits NOT ON CALL bearing interest	213,903 00	Landed and other Property	15,000 00
		Balances due from other Banks & Branches	150,846 00
		Amount of all other debts due to the Bank	142,841 00
Total amount of Liabilities	$423,549 00	Total Amount of Assets	$454,266 00

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1881.....$5,000,000
Rate of last Dividend declared to Shareholders.....6 per cent per annum
Amount of last Dividend declared for half year.....$125,000
Amount of Reserved Profits at the time of declaring said Dividend.....$750,000

VICTORIA, B.C., 20th Jan., 1882.

(Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.
(Signed) G. H. BURNS, Accountant.

I, ROBERT BURNS, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Abstract a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets of the above Bank within the Province during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kep to pursuance of the provisions of the Banking Act, 1864. (Signed) R. BURNS, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of January, 1882.
ja21 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

BRITISH COLUMBIA MARKET,

VAN VOLKENBURGH & CO.

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

BUTCHERS,

ALHAMBRA BUILDING, CORNER GOVERNMENT AND YATES STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

Ships, Hotels and Families Supplied with Meats at the LOWEST RATES

ORDERS filled and delivered to any part of the City free of charge. fe26

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of Liabilities and Assets of the BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA within the Province of British Columbia and its Dependencies, taken from the several weekly statements for the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1881.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
Notes in circulation		$626,681 00	Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver		$232,426 27
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	15,034 43		Gold Bullion		17,544 64
Deposits not bearing Interest	917,340 28		Landed and other Property		20,163 70
Deposits bearing Interest	29,237 80		Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate within the Province	$ 11,219 09	
		950,578 08	Balances due from other Banks and Branches situate without the Province	559,635 89	
					570,854 98
			All debts due to the Bank within the Province, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks & Branches	857,893 02	
			Do. without the Province	52,481 29	
					910,375 31
Total Amount Liabilities		$1,492,443 51	Total Amount of Assets		$1,767,364 93

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec., 1881.....$1,730,000
Rate of last dividend declared to the Shareholders.....6 per cent. per annum.
Amount of last dividend declared.....$43,250
Amount of reserved profit at the time of declaring such dividend.....$224,200

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.
(Signed) CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 18th Jan., 1882.

I, WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within this Province of this Bank during the period specified and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements there kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 18th day of Jan., 1882.
ja19 (Signed) A. McLEAN, J. P.

CORPORATION OF VICTORIA.

CASH STATEMENT FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1881.

RECEIPTS.		EXPENDITURE.	
Cash on hand 1st January, 1881	$ 302 18	Provincial Government	$ 5,074 98
Bank account, increase of balance	845 99	Water Works general account	6,926 09
Bank fire account, decrease of balance	153 10	do Sinking Fund, $100,000 loan	2,360 00
Water Works rents	20,393 91	do do 50,000 "	1,750 00
Fire Insurance rates, ½ of 1 per cent. tax	2,926 92	do do 20,000 "	412 00
do do direct tax	2,075 00	Fire Insurance Rate, ½ of 1 per cent. tax	3,080 02
Street repairs, rock sold	8 00	do do direct tax	843 00
City Pound, fees	449 75	Street repairs	13,918 73
Surveying expenses	50 00	City Police	9,610 90
Sidewalks, refunds	381 74	City Pound	631 95
General interest	145 51	Charges account, including salaries, advertising, printing, election expenses, etc.	6,196 69
Real estate tax	30,277 87	Surveying expenses	1,729 86
Trades licenses	9,322 50	Board of Health	1,267 89
Wholesale liquor licenses	750 00	Street Lighting	2,331 07
Retail do do	10,160 00	Sidewalks, recoverable	277 47
Road tax	1,117 00	Legal expenses	238 50
Dog tax	238 30	Commission on collections	226 44
Billiard tables	70 00	Donations	440 85
Weighing machine fees, $151.25 Less repairs, 28.50	122 75	Discount on silver	60 45
Police Court fines and fees	1,081 37	General interest	1,498 39
Ross Bay Cemetery, fees	1,250 00	Corporation Debentures Sinking Fund	619 65
Cemetery property sales	4,138 58	do do Interest	1,225 00
Wm. Leigh	328 25	Water Works Interest, $100,000 loan	6,475 00
Corporate Seal	3 00	do do 50,000 "	3,412 50
Chas. Hayward	12 00	do do 20,000 "	1,600 00
		Beacon Hill Park	394 87
		Dog Tax, tags	15 00
		Ross Bay Cemetery	1,358 23
		Certificates of indebtedness	6,499 27
		Sundry persons	1,525 02
		Street gas and coal oil lamps	50 50
		Office furniture	251 50
		New City Hall	2,178 60
		Cemetery property	93 00
		City survey	1,000 00
		Corporate Seal	613 80
		Cash on hand	1,050 44
	$87,226 72		$87,226 72

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, Auditor.

CASH STATEMENT, 31ST DECEMBER, 1881.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Uncollected Taxes	$12,583 91	Bank of British North America	$ 9,666 65
Sidewalks Recoverable	804 47	Fire Insurance Direct Tax	2,122 24
W. R. Clarke	561 00	Sundry Persons	7,357 08
Cash on hand	1,050 44		
Balance	4,126 12		
	$19,125 97		$19,125 97

THOS. RUSSELL, Accountant.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, Auditor.

Victoria, B. C., anuary, 1881.

Victoria Water Works.--Balance Sheet, 31st December, 1881.

ASSETS.		LIABILITIES.	
Bank B.N.A., Sinking Fund	$ 25,033 34	Interest and Sinking Fund Acct.	$ 25,033 34
Corporation of the City of Victoria	22,492 58	Debenture Account	162,500 00
Construction Account	200,064 25	Revenue Account	52,556 83
		Redeemed Debentures	7,500 00
	$247,590 17		$247,590 17

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Comm'r and Accountant.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, Auditor.

Victoria, B. C., 6th January, 1881.

Statement of Revenue Collected and Disbursed from 1st Jan. to 31st Dec., 1881

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Water Rents Collected	$19,573 91	Charges—	
Services	820 00	Salaries, Printing, &c.	$ 3,324 05
		Maintenance	1,154 43
		ion—	
		Pipes Extension	1,066 82
		ration Claims	760 50
		Ice Pipes	980 29
		oration of Victoria	13,467 82
	$20,393 91		$20,393 91

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Comm'r and Accountant.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, Auditor.

Victoria, B. C., 6th January, 1882.

Interest and Sinking Fund Account.

RECEIPTS.		DISBURSEMENTS.	
Nov. 30, 1880—Balance at credit of Acct.	$19,760 17	Paid interest for Coupons presented between 1st Dec., 1880, and 30th Nov., 1881	$11,487 50
Cash received from the Corporation of Victoria between 1st Dec., 1880, to 30th Nov., 1881, to pay interest on loans	11,487 50	Balance	26,043 35
do do Sinking Fund	1,011 44		
Interest allowed by Bank B.N.A., on amounts at credit of Sinking Fund	652 73		
	$36,320 84		$36,320 84

THOS. RUSSELL, Water Comm'r and Accountant.
JAMES D. ROBINSON, Auditor.

Victoria, B. C., 6th January, 1882.

His Worship the Mayor and City Councillors:

GENTLEMEN,—I beg to hand you herewith statement of Cash Assets and Liabilities, Receipts and Expenditure for the year ending 31st December, 1881; also, Balance Sheet, Interest and Sinking Fund, and Statement of Revenue Collected and Disbursed on account of Water Works.

In comparing the present statement with that of last year, it will be seen that the present Council have not expended the whole of the Revenue, but have actually reduced the indebtedness of last Council, as the following figures will clearly show:—

Balance of Liabilities over Assets as per Statement 31st Dec., 1880	$6,801 50
Fire Insurance Direct Tax, which should have been included	800 24
	$7,601 74
Balance Liabilities over Assets 31st Dec., 1881	4,126 12
Showing a gain of (made during the past year)	$3,565 62

I am, Gentlemen, your obedient servant
JAMES D ROBINSON Auditor

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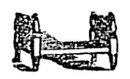
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